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Dear General Carroll:

In the accompanying letter, the President asks me to express to you as a member of the United States Intelligence Board and to your intelligence colleagues not only his commendation, but the appreciation of our Nation for the exceptional effort and gratifying results attained during the crisis we recently faced. In our profession, such thoughts are not often presented to us in a way that permits us to convey them to those whose prefessional competence and dedication continue despite crises and emergencies.

Therefore, I ask that you inform the members of your organization of the President's commendation for the service they have rendered our Nation. In addition, please also accept my appreciation for the contribution you and your associates have made toward accomplishing the responsibilities placed on me.

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John A. McCone Chairman

Lieutenant General Joseph F. Carroll Director, Defense Intelligence Agency Department of Defense

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Major General Richard Collins
Director for Intelligence
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Dear General Breitweiser:

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John A. McCone Chairman

Major General Robert A. Breitweiser Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence United States Air Force

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Dear General Fitch:

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John A. McCone Chairman

Major General Alva R. Fitch Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence Department of the Army

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### Dear Admiral Lowrance:

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John A. McCone Chairman

Rear Admiral Vernon L. Lowrance Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Intelligence) Department of the Navy

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